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SUBJ: OECD NOVEMBER 8-9 XCSS MEETING -- AGRICULTURE

STUDY BY INDEPENDENT GROUP OF EXPERTS

REF: (A) STATE 208338; (B) GENEVA 5662; (C) STATE 211059

1. ON OCTOBER 26, WE CARRIED OUT THE REFTEL A  
INSTRUCTION WITH HIJZEN AND STAKHOVITCH OF THE EC  
COMMISSION'S EXTERNAL RELATIONS DIRECTORATE GENERAL.

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WE COVERED THE MAIN POINTS OF THE ARGUMENT ORALLY

AND LEFT WITH THEM THE TEXT OF THE US PAPER.  
HIJZEN OF COURSE RESERVED ALL OFFICIAL COMMENT  
PENDING STUDY OF THE PAPER.

2. HIJZEN SAID THAT OUR SUBMISSION IS VERY TIMELY.  
HE INTENDS TO REVIEW THE MATTER PROMPTLY WITH RABOT.  
THE THE SUBJECT CAN BE PURSUED WITH HIM AND/OR  
RABOT NEXT WEEK WHEN BOTH WILL BE IN WASHINGTON FOR  
THE US/EC CONSULTATIONS (SOAMES/CASEY TALKS).

3. WHILE NOT COMMENTING DIRECTLY ON OUR PRESENTATION,  
HIJZEN DID SAY THAT, WHILE IN WASHINGTON, THE  
COMMISSION HOPES TO HEAR AN EXPLANATION OF HOW THE  
US SEES THE INTERRELATIONSHIP BETWEEN VARIOUS INTER-  
NATIONAL ACTIVITIES PROPOSED OR UNDERWAY; MTN; UN  
FOOD CONFERENCE; FAO, OECD. WE APOKE BRIEFLY ALONG  
LINES OF REFTELS B AND C AND TOLD HIJZEN WE WOULD  
EXPECT THE MATTER TO BE GONE INTO IN WASHINGTON IN  
ANY EVENT. HE IMPLIED THAT THIS ASPECT OF THE  
QUESTION MAY BE IMPORTANT IN DETERMINING THE  
COMMISSION'S ATTITUDE -- AND PERHAPS SOME OF THE  
MEMBER STATES' ATTITUDES -- TOWARD OUR OECD PROPOSAL.  
GREENWALD

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